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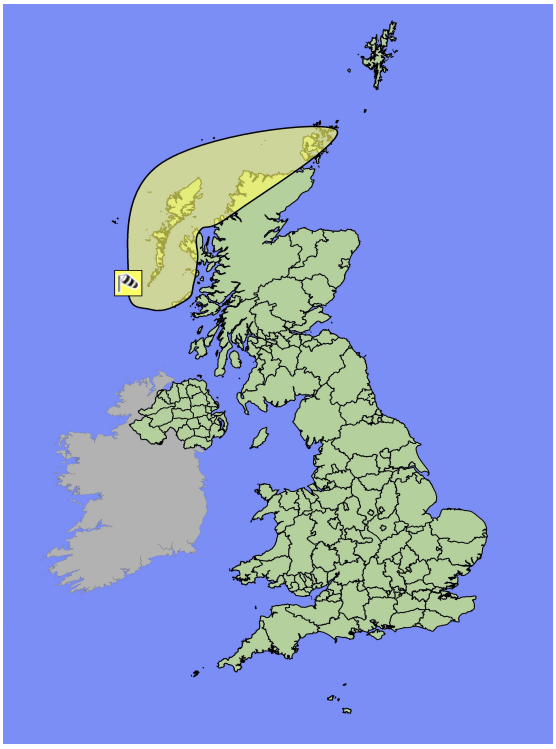

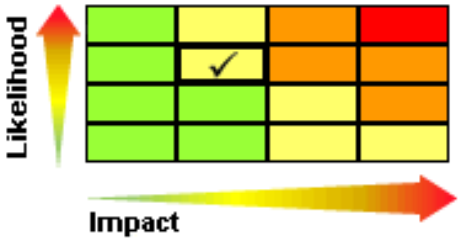

Chief Forecasters Assessment
A deep depression will transfer east just to the north of Scotland, leading to a tightening of the isobars across northwest Scotland. This will lead to another bout of very strong winds, but in this case it is the very high seas which may be most noteworthy and hazardous aspect.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Wind**

Valid from **06:00 on Sun, 30th Dec 2012** until **15:00 on Sun, 30th Dec 2012**

Southwesterly winds will increase to severe gale again early on Sunday, with squally gusts of around 70 mph likely. In addition, high seas will lead to wave overtopping particularly on south and west facing coasts. The winds will gradually ease later on Sunday.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 11:40 on Sat, 29th Dec 2012

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